

4 circuit is equal to a power supply voltage applied to the  
5 second MOS transistors constituting the internal circuit.

4. (Amended) A semiconductor device according to Claim  
2, wherein a gate length of the first MOS transistors is equal  
3 to a gate length of the second MOS transistors.

7. (Amended) A semiconductor device according to Claim  
1, wherein a power supply voltage applied to the first MOS  
transistors constituting the input circuit or the output  
circuit is higher than a power supply voltage applied to the  
second MOS transistors constituting the internal circuit.

Please add the following claims:

21. (New) A semiconductor device according to Claim 2,  
wherein a power supply voltage applied to the first MOS  
transistors constituting the input circuit or the output  
circuit is equal to a power supply voltage applied to the  
second MOS transistors constituting the internal circuit.

22. (New) A semiconductor device according to Claim 21,  
wherein a gate length of the first MOS transistors is equal to  
a gate length of the second MOS transistors.

1 23. (New) A semiconductor device according to Claim 3,  
2 wherein a gate length of the first MOS transistors is equal to  
3 a gate length of the second MOS transistors.

1 24. (New) A semiconductor device according to Claim 21,  
2 wherein a gate insulating film thickness of the first MOS  
3 transistors is equal to a gate insulating film thickness of  
4 the second MOS transistors.

1 25. (New) A semiconductor device according to Claim 21,  
2 wherein an area of the active region in which the first MOS  
3 transistors are formed is larger than an area of the active  
4 region in which the second MOS transistors are formed.

1 26. (New) A semiconductor device according to Claim 2,  
2 wherein a power supply voltage applied to the first MOS  
3 transistors constituting the input circuit or the output  
4 circuit is higher than a power supply voltage applied to the  
5 second MOS transistors constituting the internal circuit.